

C 475 BC
556-468 BC

1912 Dates J-BK

Fragments of patriotic songs,
epigrams, hymns, and poems;
"Lament of Danae," by
SIMONIDES of CEOS (556-468 BC)

475-221BC

The Yellow Emperor's Canon of Internal Medicine, which appeared during the Warring States period (475-221 BC) systematically presented what was known in China of physiology, pathology, diagnostics, treatment and preventive medicine.

Brian Qee a noted doctor at the time was the 1st man in the world to use the

pulse in diagnosis

475-221B^c

2000 tomb relics (musical instruments
bronzeware, weapons, articles of gold
and jade, lacquerware, and bamboo
shuts. All from the Tomb of Marquis
Yi of the early part of the Warring
States period (475 - 221 BC)

including a set of 65 Chime bells
Arranged in 3 rows they include 19
small ones in top row and 46 larger

ones in center & bottom rows. The largest
weighs 203.6 kg (448½#) & is 154.4 centimeters
tall (60.79 in). The chimps will each
produce 2 different notes

475/3 BC

TARAS (with Rhegium) defeated
by Iapygians, democracy
established

475-221 BC

China

The Warring States period (475-221 BC) witnessed the collapse of the slave system and the rise of feudal society. More utilitarian bronzes appeared - bronze mirrors, hooks, coins, and seals.

475-221 BC

During the Warring States period
(475-221 BC) the wheelbarrow
was invented

475 BC

On island of Sicily Mount
Etna exploded
Pindar and Aeschylus wrote
about it

475-221BC

During the Warring States period (475-221 BC) the Chinese took to a new form (being a great number) of bamboo strips. It was rolled out of silk. There was high cost but its use spurred the search for lighter material.

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(551 - 478 BC)

Confucius

K'UNG-FU-TSE (K'ung the Philosopher)

Invented Confucianism.

He was not a writer. He did write about 15,000 words called "Spring & Summer" as a great scholar and archaeologist, he collected the traditions and customs, historical documents, and the ballads and poetry of his own and preceding ages, and edited and arranged them.

These form the basis of the Chinese classics
He attracted many disciples

Two centuries later, when one of the princes
had wiped out all the others and proclaimed
himself the first "UNIVERSAL EMPEROR",
he showed his repugnance for the system
by ordering the burning of all books relating
to it, and put to death all the scholars
who protested.

Two or 3 centuries later interest in
Confucianism revived

475BC

Ten states had emerged in China that were strong enough to hold themselves together. It was the beginning of the period of the WARRING STATES.

Also was dawn of iron age.
Casting became commonplace, a thousand years before it would in the West.